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1. The harbor of Oksywie (the north suburb of Gdynia) is still being used as a Polish naval base. In this area there is a road leading from Oksywie through Obluze, Pogorze, and Kosakowo and continuing to the north. A new airfield is being built east of this road a short distance south of Kosakowo at a distance of about 4 km. from Oksywie. The work is being done by a Polish engineer company and about eight hundred German prisoners of war.
2. This field has two runways, each 1800 meters long and 80 meters wide, and a taxi area approximately 80 meters wide connecting the two runways. The runways are constructed of concrete blocks 15 cm. thick covered with 3 cm. of asphalt. The resistance of the concrete used is 180 kg. per sq. cm. The only hangar to date is located to the south of the field. It is 55 meters long and 45 meters wide. At the time of observation only one Soviet plane was at the field. Two underground pipeline installations are in the course of construction. The anti-aircraft defense unit at Oksywie harbor constitutes one element of its defense, and another unit is being set up east of Kosakowo.
3. The sketch in Attachment 1 shows location of the field with respect to Kosakowo and Oksywie. The sketch in Attachment 2 (not to scale) shows the layout of the field.

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